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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 6975

BILL NUMBER: HB 1162

NOTE PREPARED: Feb 9, 2009

BILL AMENDED: Feb 9, 2009

SUBJECT: Environmental Permits and Local Governments.

FIRST AUTHOR: Rep. Tyler

FIRST SPONSOR:

BILL STATUS: CR Adopted - 1st House

FUNDS AFFECTED: **GENERAL**
 DEDICATED
 FEDERAL

IMPACT: Local

Summary of Legislation: (Amended) This bill provides that if a person has been issued a permit by the Department of Environmental Management (IDEM) to construct, install, or operate a facility, equipment, or a device, the person may not start the construction, installation, operation, or modification of the facility, equipment, or device until the person has obtained any approval required by any county; city, or town in which the facility, equipment, or device is located.

Effective Date: July 1, 2009.

Explanation of State Expenditures:

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures: (Revised) The proposal could result in additional administrative expenses for a local unit if the local unit would not have considered the facility were it not for the provisions of the bill. The impact is not expected to be significant.

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected:

Local Agencies Affected: Counties, Cities, and Towns.

Information Sources:

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